News From the Departments---New Posts, etc.

GRAND

HEADQUARTERS BULLETIN.

Commander-in-Chief Lucuis Fairchild went last week to Charleston, S. C., accompanied by his newly-appointed Adjutant-General (Col. 1 B. Gray), and spent the 14th in visiting the rums. He then sent out, by telegraph, the following address to the comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic :

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 14, 1886. COMRADES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUB-Lac: With you, I have been profoundly touched by the great calamity to Charleston and vicinity caus ed by the recent earthquake. I came here as your representative to learn the exact facts as to the nepensities of the people and to take such action as the occasion might require. The situation is selly as follows: The immediate demand for food is promptly answered by the funds already contributed, but there is a class of citizens whose houses are more or less shattered and who have no means wherewith to repair them. This class and se who, being houseless, have nevertheless suffered loss of personal property require aid from abroad. It will be to them a continued calamity unless help is rendered. The community here have ione, and are doing, everything in their power. A large sum of money is required to do all that ought to be done. This condition of affairs warrants immediate and extraordinary effort. I feel confident hat every comrade is auxious to do what he can to bring comfort and happiness to the stricken people. I therefore request Department Commanders to call upon each Post in their Departments at once to appoint a committee, which shall collect such sums as comrades and their fellow-citizens in cities, viiages, and on the farms may desire to contribute. The money should be transmitted to Department Headquarters, whence it will be sent to W. A.

Courtenay, esq., Mayor of Charleston. A committee consisting of seven of the best citizens of Charles-4on, will see to it that the money is properly applied to the relief only of the worthy and necessit-LECTUS FARRCHILD Commander-in-Chief, G.A.R. General Orders, No. 2, issued at Madison, Wis., Sept. 13, are as follows:

1. The following amenuments were made to the Rules and Regulations by the National Encampment at San Francisco Add to Section 3. Article II, Chapter II-An applicaption invorably reported by the committee may be withdrawn by a majority vote of the

Post, before ballot, upon request of the applicant or of the contrade presenting his application, Add to Article V, Chapter II, a new Section-See, 4. Posts may by By-Laws or Rules of Order provide for an adjournment of Postmeetings before completing the order of business prescribed in the

Section 2, Article II, Chapter IV-Strike out the words "only these representatives or their atternates shall be admitted to seats," Insert at end of this Section, "any vacancies occuring by written resignations that may exhanst the list of alternates entitled to serve in place of absent representatives may be filled by the Department Council of Administration duly called and sitting within its own jurisdiction. Such alternates shall serve in the order of their election.

Change Section 1, Article III, Chapter IV, to Sec. 1. The stated meeting of the National En-empment shall be held annually between April and students, and a large number of citi-November, as may be fixed by the Commander-in-Chief, by consent of the Council of Administration,

the previous stated meeting. Article IV, Chapter V .- In lieu of Sections 3 and 4, insert the following: Sec. 3. Any member of a Post who is six months in arrears in the payment of his dues shall be notifled thereof in writing by the PostQuartermaster, and If the same are not paid within two months thereafter he may be suspended from all privileges of membership by vote of the Post, and be then so reported in the quarterly reports to Department Hendquarters, until such dues are paid. While so suspended the Post shall not be subject to the per capita tax on such member, and he shall not be counted in the representation of the Post in the Department component, nor of the Department in the National Encampment; Provided, however, That when a comrade is unable, by reason of sickness or misfortune, to pay his dues, they may be remitted by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting

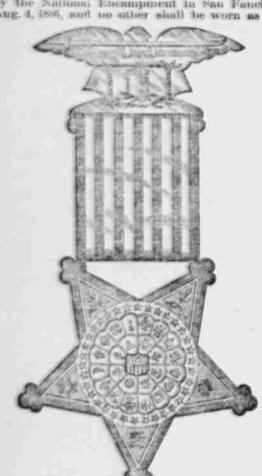
at a regular meeting of the Post. Sec. 4. If a member of a Post shall be one year in arrears for dues he shall be notified thereof in writing by the Post Quartermaster, and on failure for two months thereafter to pay such dues he may, by vote of the Post, be dropped from the rolls, unless relieved from such payment, and can be reinstated only by the Post which dropped him," by a two-thirds vote, by ballot, of all the members present, and voting, at a regular meeting, upon payment of a sum to be prescribed by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting, at a reguiar meeting; said sum not to be less than the amount charged as muster-in fee. If cleased, he shall be re-obligated: Provided, That he may be re-obligated in any Post within whose jurisdiction he may reside upon the written request of the Post relustating bim. Application for reinstatement shall be made by filing a new application, to be regularly referred and reported on. If the Post from which a member in arrears has been dropped has been dishanded he may make application to

A comrade dropped as aforesaid, whose application for reinstatement has been rejected, upon payment to the Quartermaster of the Post which dropped him of the amount of his dues at the date of being dropped shall receive from the Quartermaster a receipt therefor, stated as dues of comrade --- dropped and refused reinstatement; and such comrade may make application, as provided in Article II, Coupter II, of these Regulations, accommanied by the receipt alore aid, to another Post, and may be admitted to membership upon payment of the muster fee and being mustered as a

Change the last paragraph of Article XIV, Chapter V, Memorial Day, so it shall read, "When such day occurs on Sunday the preceding day shall be observed, except where by legislative enactment the succeeding day is made a legal holiday, when

BADGES. 2. As directed by the National Encampment at Portland the following corps badges, recognized on the official chart of the War Department, have been added to the membership badge of the Grand Army : Sheridan's Cavalry, Wilson's Cavalry, and Hancock's Veteran Corps. Also, device of camp ketile and are on reverse side of eagle. This badge has been pedental for the use and protection of the G.A.R. The action of the Communder-in-Chief in this matter was unanimously approved by the

tion 2. Article IX, Chapter V was amended to read Soc. 2. The membership badge of the Grand Army of the Republic shall be in form and nonterial that adopted at the special meeting of the Na-tional Encampment in New York, Oct. 27, 1869, with the additional device prescribed and adopted by the National Encampment in Nan Fancisco. Aug. 4, 1806, and no other shall be worn as the



badge of the Grand Army, except that prescribed for officers in section 3, and for past officers in section 4, and hereafter no membership badge shall be manufactured or issued except in conformity with the above: Provided, however, That the badges heretofore issued under the authority of the Na-

tional Encampment may be worn.

The resolutions of the National Encampment upon this subject for the past three years have thus been incorporated into the fundamental law of the Order, and it is expected that opposition to the repented and unanimous action of the Encampment will now cease.

The new tadges are ready for issue through the proper channels; they are numbered, and marked on the star with the letter F. Department officers are expected to bring to trial any comrade violating the Rules and Regulations by dealing in or wearing any membership badge not issued by National Headquarters.

8. The following appointments are announced: To be Adjutant-General-Commide Edmund B Gray, Madison, Wis., vice Comrade John Cameron, relieved, to take effect from Sept. 20, 1886,

Official communications (except requisitions should be addressed to the Adjutant-General. By command of LUCIUS FAIRCHILD, Commander-JOHN CAMILLON, Adjutant-General.

. DEPARTMENT NEWS.

The following from A. A.-G. W. G. Akers will explain itself: Your favor of the 6th inst, containing draft for \$30 and petition of comrades for Post at Sulphur Rock, Ark., is at hand and shall have CALIFORNIA .-

The Grand Army Post in Honolula is in fine working order. While its membership is not large it is enthusiastic and everything possible is done to make the meetings interesting and agreeable. CONNECTICUT.-G. H. Jefts, New Briton: Post No. 185 has now

185 members, and is in fine working order. It has a most efficient Corps of officers, and expects to add largely to its membership in the near future. DELAWARE,-Post No. 2, of Wilmington, will visit Gen. Win-

field Scott Post, No. 114, of Philadelphia, on the 27th. They will be accompanied by a band of music, and expect a glorious time.

John R. Harding, Freeport: I am instructed by a vote of this Post asking you to publish one Charles Jahnke as a "dead beat." He was a private in Co. G, 2d Minn. Receives a pension of \$26 per month. Was mustered into this Post Aug. 7, 1885. In September, 1885, he received a traveling card, on which he has been borrowing money ever since. This Post paid some, but they are coming in too thick, and we wish him headed off. At the soldiers' Reunion in Stephenson County,

on the 7th inst., Posts from Marseilles, Orangeville, Warren and Lena were in attendance. John Brown Post, No. 50, of Chicago, celebrated the anniversary of the Proclamation of Emancipation on the 22d inst. This is the only colored Post in the city, and has a larger membership of that race, who served as soldiers and sailors during the war of the rebellion, than any in the country. Custer Post, No. 40, of Chicago, is rapidly pushing to the front, and is one of the finest organizations in the city. On the 7th inst. the comrades held a most interesting Campfire, at which Posts from Sheldon, Graham and Moline were present. This Post took the initiative on Campfires for the Fail and Winter months on the 7th inst., and it is the intention of the comrades to hold meetings at

The Grand Army Posts of Wabash County held a Reunian at Asbury Grove on the 9th which was attended by 1,000 people, Many soul-stirring speeches were made by the comrades amid loud applause. No accident happened to mar the pleasure of the day, and the meeting was in every repect a delightful one.

Post No. 9, of Marshall, is steadily increasing in membership. The comrades expect to hold a number of Campfires this Winter, with a view both of replenishing the relief fund and also adding to the

interest of the Order. On the 7th inst, A. P. Morton Post, of New Hampton, accompanied by the New Hampton Band and a large delegation of citizens, went to Decorah to attend the dedication of the Soldiers' Monument. The city was decked with flags and presented a grand appearance, while bands of martial music marched up and down the streets, making the air resonant with patriotic airs. The ng appearance worthy of the great occasion. The New Hampton Band led the procession, followed by A. P. Morton Post, Waukon Post, Cresco Post, Decorah Post and many others following, together

deed a comrade well worthy of emulation. Comrade in Comrade and William M. Caldwell, of Post No. 129, is hereby appointed Assistant Inspector at Large, in charge will will worth the company of County soldiers who gave their lives for the Nation are engraved on the base, and upon the top is the figure of a Union soldier in full uniform leaning upon a gun. In front of the monument was the

finest speeches ever listened to in Northern Iowa.

The soldiers of Comanche County have organized a splendid Post at Coldwater and chosen the name of Scott. It has a fine corps of officers, which are as follows; W. F. Gladden, Post Commander; J. S. Halliday, S. V.-C.; J. J. Walters, J. V.-C.; S. C. Shepherd, Surg.; O. P. Snare, O. D.; R. DeGarmo, Chap.; E. S. West, Q. M.; H. Hatchey, Adj't; J. Me-

platform, from which, after the ceremony of dedi-

We are indebted to Comrade W. T. Davidson, A. A. G., Abilene, for a roster of this Department for | addresses of comrades, and visits them individu-1886. It is neatly printed and gives a list of 389

Thomas A. Hagar, Protection: Corporal Hagar Post, No. 373, of this place, is in splendid working order, and is slowly but surely increasing in membership. The comrades are all active, hard-working Grand Army men and take a deep interest in all that pertains to the good of the Order. Following are the officers: Commander, Thomas A. Hagar; S. V. C., W. D. Cannon; J. V. C., John W.

MARYLAND .-At the anniversary of the battle of North Point on the 13th inst., in Baltimore, the Grand Army made a splendid showing. The Posts that participated in the parade were Wilson, No. 1: Dushane, No. 3; Roward, No. 11, and Burnside, Lincoln, Guy and Custer Posts. The Campfire held at night was presided over by Department Commander Vernon, Addresses were made by Gens. Latrobe and Horn. Past Department Commander Graham Dukehart also made a short address. The festivities were kept up until quite a late hour, the old soldiers, Gen. John W. Horn, Past Department Commanders Graham Dukehart, Frank M. Smith and J. G. Taylor. R. G. Scarlett represented the National En-

ennipment. MICHIGAN .-General Orders, No. 7, issued at Flint, Sept. 10,

by order of John Northwood, Department Com-mander—O. F. Lochbend, A. A. G.—re as follows: The following additional appointments on the staff Packard, 73, Sturgis. Assistant Inspectors—Chas. Pickell, Post 86, Mancelona; E. N. Thayer, 100, Lyons; Wm. Hunter, 104, Ovid: Daniel H. Chase, 122, Assyrin; W. C. Moore, 146, Waldron; Levi Tuttle, 148, Saugatuck; J. C. Hanson, 240, Grayling; shall Berden, 333, South Lyon; V. H. Worden, 161, quarter ending Sept. 30, 1886. Commanders of National Encampment at San Francisco, and Sec-October, 1886, both reports to be inclosed in one envelope with per capita tax at six cents per member. Adjutants will note the figures in red ink and comply with instructions as given in previous to Article Kl, Chapter V, Rules and Regulations: reports promptly to avoid payment of the extra | ward reports (not in duplicate) to Assistant Inspecone cent per capita tax the last quarier of the year. The following is a list of Posts spector at Harrisburg. whose reports were received after July 10, 1886, not in accordance with Par. G. O. No. 5: Nos. a most enterprising and energetic Post, and is 11, 12, 22, 31, 33, 38, 54, 59, 60, 61, 74, 78, 101, 104, 105, 116, 118, 120, 126, 129, 135, 147, 149, 150, 151, 164, 166, 167, 175, 183, 190, 203, 208, 213, 217, 218, 221, 222, 228, 232, 240, 242, 244, 245, 253, 262, 272, 276, 278, 284, 289, 295, 302, 307, 316, 320, 325, 335, 342, 347, 348, 355, 356. 4,000 veterans were in the city, and 2,500 marched Received after July 20, 1885: Nos. 44, 47, 53, 64, 159, in the grand parade. The people vied with each 215, 220, 226, 241, 243, 247, 264, 265, 277, 291, 292, 331, other in decorating their residences and places of 838, 343, 349, 350, 351. Number of quarterly reports business. There were many beautiful and novel returned for correction, 101. Posts whose reports have been returned for corrections and have not been returned corrected to these Headquarters: 34, enjoyment. The Northwestern Association em-47, 129, 168, 243, 249. Posts suspended: 97, 112, 250, 300. Addresses wanted: Spencer Gunn, First Sergeant, and Capt. Wm. Adams, Co. F, 12th Mich., by Daniel B. Ware, Athens, Mich.; M. J. Madison, the setting apart of one day in each year as "Grand Co. C. 2d Ohio Cav., last heard of in Kansas, by C. W. Richmond, Decatur, Mich.; Marian Kellogg, Orderly Sergeant, Co. H, 17th V. R. C., and W. H. Orderly Sergeant, Co. H, 17th V. R. C., and W. H. Weils, Corporal, Co. H, 17th V. R. C., by Dr. W. D. Bryant, Camsville, Mo.; of any member of Co. F, 61st Pa., by Mrs. Joanna B. Sullivan, Bangor, Mich.; of Meadville; Treas., George S. Shattuck, of Meadville; Chap., Rev. I. G. Pollard, of Evansburg; Surg., S. F. Chapin, of Wattsburg. Executive Comndependent Ohio battery, by R. D. Young, Menden, St. Jo Co., Mich.; of the two members of Co. E. 1st Mich, Engineers and Mechanics, who assisted Corp. Henry Lyon at Black River, N. C., March 17, 1865, by Henry Lyon, Ithaca, Mich., Let Robinson, or any member of Co. I, 5th N. V. H. A., by Wm. H. Harris, Harber Springs, Emmet Co., Mich.; James Austin, Quartermaster's Sergeant, Co. E. 5th U. S. | present and participate in the parade and cere-Art., by Geo. E. Perkins, Gagetown, Mich.; John Stockwell, formerly of Detroit, Mich., last known to be on U. S. man-of-war Cumberland at Hampton Roads, Va., by J. W. Hicks, Horton, Jackson Co., Mich.; Allen G. Wells, formerly of Wellsville, Lenawee Co., Mich., by Francis M. Miles, Dillsborough, Ind.: L. Robinson, Jefferson Brown, Friend Reed, all of ist Mich. Cav., by John Hoskins, Reading, Mich.; Serg't Albert P. Thompson and Capt. Daniel Wellington, Co. H. 3d Mich, Cav., by Jas. E. John-

son, Milan, Mich. Joseph Patterson, Brighton: The ladies of the Relief Corps on the 10th inst. paid a visit to Appleton Post, carrying with them supplies for an elegant banquet, to which the veterans did ample justice. This Post is one of the most prosperous in the Department, and finds a most able auxiliary in its Relief Corps.

on the 15th inst. The day was agreeably spent in visiting the points of interest in the city, and at 10:30 p. m. the comrades left for home well pleased with

NEW YORK .-The appeal of Commander-in-Chief Fairchild to the comrades has been favorably received by the G.A.R. Posts of Brooklyn. It is proposed to appropriate an amount of money from the Post funds for he Charleston sufferers. This will probably be done and subscriptions taken up among the people. fires, The appeal of Commander-in-Chief Fairchild is there. favorably received by the Grand Army Posts of Brooklyn. It is proposed to appropriate an amount of money from the Post funds for the Charleston sufferers. This will probably be done and subscriptions taken up among the people.

PENNSYLVANIA,nder-Thos. J. Stewart, A. A.-G.-are as follows: The Department Commander having returned from San Francisco, where he was in attendance at the National Encampment, desires to the large number participating from Pennsylvania and upon the character and conduct of those who them promptly devolves on the Post Commander. ber reported in good standing. All checks, draits who served in Gen. Porter's command. and postal orders should be drawn to the order of H. G. Williams, Assistant Quartermaster-General. Since the issue of General Orders, No. 13, dated July 22, the following Posts have been mustered: 8. S. Kerr Post, No. 522, at Hookstown, Beaver Co., on July 15, 1886, by Evan Pugh, A. D. C.; William C. Cooper Commander. Allen G. Dodd Post, No. 525, at Proctor, Lycoming Co., on Aug. 21, 1886, by Thomas Dinan, Assistant Inspector at Large; F. S. Tomlinson Commander. Robert F. Elliott Post, . 526, at Spring Run, Franklin Co., on July 31, 1886, by Adam Franklin, Commander of Post No. 295; John Walker Commander. —— Post, No. 527, at South Bethlehem, Northampton Co., on Aug. 2, 1886, by J. H. Druckemiller, S. V. Dep't Commander; L. B. Clauser Commander, David Martin Post, No. 528, at Piney Creek, Bedford Co., on Sept. 2, 1886, by W. H. Weisel, A. D. C.; James S. Murphy Commander. Elias Rice Post, No. 529, at Landisburg, Perry Co., on July 30, 1886, by F. M. McKeehan, Commander of Post No. 448; John A. Eower Commander. Lysander Robb Post, No. 530, at Bruin, Butler Co., on July 27, 1886, by A. G. Williams; William Black Commander. Maj. A. J. Bolar Post, No. 533, at Homer City, Indiana Co., on Aug. 8, 1886, by Robert J. Irvin, A. D. C.; John Evans Commander. Capt. George Davenport Post, No. 534, at Gravity, Wayne Co., on Aug. 7, 1886, by Sheldon Olmstead, A. D. C.; E. W. Moore Com-mander. —— Post, No. 535, at Brownsyille, Fayette Co., on Aug. 2, 1886, by E., H. Baird, Commander of Post No. 173; M. T. Jones Commander, J. P. Eves Post, No. 536, at Millville, Columbia Co., on Sept. 3, 1886, by M. M. Brobst, A. D. C.; James Eves Commander. The Department Commander announces with sorrow the death of Comrade John F. Parker, of Post No. 129, Assistant Inspector at Large. An exemplary citizen, a brave soldier, a true and genial comrade, his best years procession was very large and presented an impos- given to the service of his country, his best efforts to the upbuilding of the Grand Army, he was in-

zens. The monument stands upon the northeast corner of the Court-house square, and is a beauty, corner of the Court-house square, and corner of the Court-house square, and corner of the Court-house square, and Comrade Caldwell for duty. George G. Hungerford, of Post No. 392, is hereby appointed Assistant Inspector in District No. 13, vice J. W. Billings, resigned. The following applicants for membership have been rejected: By Post No. 55, Isaiah Davis, Co. G. 17th P. V.: 91, Chas. B. Nichols, Co. G. 185th cation, Col. Pete Hepburn delivered one of the N. Y.; H6, Godfrey Keistard, Co. B, 184th P. V.; 142, Enos P. Sharpless, Co. A, 29th Pa. Mil.; 287, John Henry Barnes, Co. G, 17th Pa. Cav.; 466, Wil-liam H. Perry, Co. F, 57th P. V.; 489, Edwin Black, Co. C, 3d P. V. and Co. E, 198th P. V.; 489, E. M. Strickland, Co. G. 12th Pa. Mil. Attention is called to the large number of unworthy cases applying to and receiving aid from various Posts and comrades. The following have been reported to these head-quarters as unworthy: Wm. Danfield, who uses a G.A.R. badge to aid him in seiling medicines, is not a comrade. Mortimer Laurence claims to be a

and locations of Posts.

work. Read carefully General Orders, No. 7, curthe Rules and Regulations, correct errors, and when thoroughly conversant with the letter and spirit of the unwritten work, and be prepared to exemplify expenses at the minimum. In the Department there are 225 Inspecting Officers and 536 Posts, and unwith this end in view that Assistant Inspectors at Large were authorized to detail any competent comrade to assist them, and many can be Geo. Bowen, 257, Manistique; E. Hainer, 260, every requirement of their position. With this will Indian River; Wayne E. Morris, 810, Perry; Marcome confidence in their ability to perform their come confidence in their ability to perform their duties properly, and they must not permit inter-Bianchard. With this order we transmit blank | ference or dictation on the part of any comrade, no Adjutants' and Quartermasters' reports for the | matter what his present or past rank may be. Unquarter ending Sept. 30, 1886. Commanders of derstand your work fully, and then perform it to Posts will see to it that these reports are properly the best of your ability. In selecting my assistants at large I was fortunate in being able to command and forwarded to O. F. Lochhead, Assistants at large I was fortunate in being able to command ant Adjutant General, Flint, Mich., by the 10th of the services of Comrade John F. Parker, of Post No. 129, who was placed in charge of District No. 18. Always willing, earnest, able and enthusiastic, he contributed largely to the success of the Grand Army. It is with feelings of sadness that I anorders, also note and comply with the instructions | nonnce his death and pay tribute to his worth as an as given on each blank, to avoid the returning of officer, a comrade and a man. District No. 18 has will bear in mind that upon the reports of their | well, of Post No. 129, Assistant Inspector at large, respective Posts for the quarter ending Sept. 30, who will enter upon the discharge of his duties 1886, is based their representation in next Department Encampment. The attention of Posts is called once, and use every effort to complete it before the approaching political campaign is opened. Expe-Resolutions or discussions of a political nature shall | rience proves that the excitement attending a camnot be permitted at any Post meeting, nor "shall | paign causes a temporary falling off in attendance any nomination for political office be made," The following Posts have been organized since July 3: spections were transmitted to Assistant Inspectors No. 359, - Unionville; 360, Corbett Post, Pal- at Large prior to the Spring inspection. If in any will see the necessity of forwarding their quarterly | manders advised of same. Assistant Inspectors for-

> rapidly pushing its way to the front. The second annual meeting of the Northwestern Association, G.A.R., took place at Meadville Sept, 10, and was highly successful. It is estimated that displays of arches, bunting and mottoes, and the Army interests in Northwestern Pennsylvania and the setting apart of one day in each year as "Grand Army Day." At the business meeting the follow-ing officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Charles Miller, of Franklin; S. V.-P., L. mittee—I. Bolard, of Conneautville; J. R. Caldwell, Daniel Fisher, John R. Stephenson and E. O'Fia-

> herty, all of Oil City. The Posts of Allegany County will celebrate Grand Army Day at Pittsburg on Tuesday, Oct. 5. A most cordial and special invitation is ex-tended to all the Posts of the Department to be onies. It promises to be the most impressive and interesting event in the history of the Department of Western Pennsylvania. The arrangements for the entertainment of visiting Posts are being perfected by the Resident Committee. From all points excursion tickets, at low rates, will be issued by the various railroad companies. The officers of the General Committee are as follows: Pres., Chas. W. Gerwig, Post 128, Allegany; V.-P., O. S. Mc-Hwaine, Post 157, Pittsburg; Rec. Sec., H. H. Bengough, Post 157, Pittsburg; Cor. Sec., Sidney Omohundro, Post 3, Pittsburg; Treas., John T. Hunter, Post 3, Pittsburg; Commander of the Day,

Max. Klein, Post 128, Allegany. Naval Post, No. 400, composed exclusively of naval veterans, is anchored at 830 south Second street, Philadelphia. Visiting comrades always have become a law. we come. Comrade John F. Mackie, late U. S. S.

and Armitage, of Post 12; Mackie, Connolly, Roberts, Ferguson, Horne, Hirst, Maginniss, Mayberry and Simmons, of Post ich,

C. L. Frost, New Lisbon: Starr Post, No. 138, which was organized in September, 1881, with 24 members, has now a membership of 110. The Post Gatherings of Comrades in all Parts owns a frame building, 40 by 700 feet, which contains a stage 20 by 40, supplied with appropriate scenery, so that lectures, entertainments, Campfires, theatric representations, etc., can be held

A. R. Mullen, Van Wert; W. C. Scott Post, No. 100, of this place, is still flourishing, but not to such an extent and degree as it was previous to the organization of the Union Veterans' Union. The comrades seem to be taken with the new organization and become careless about the Grand Army. We are afraid that our Post will soon become General Orders, No. 14, issued at Philadelphia badly crippied, as a number of veterans have desept. 13, by order of J. P. Gobin, Department Comand taking to the new Order.

H. W. Phelps, Columbus: G.A.R. work is progressing finely. Two Posts were organized in this County since June. We have two grand workers congratulate the comrades of the Department upon | here: Commander Carl N. Bancroft and his estimable wife, Mrs. Mary E. Bancroft, of Columbus. Mrs. Bancroft is Senior Vice-President of the were chosen to represent the Department in the National Encampment. The courtesies and hospitalities of the comrades and people of California | They both went to the National Encampment at were unbounded, and the attention shown the visitors from Pennsylvania very marked. Transmitted herewith are blank forms "A" (Adjutant's Report) and "B" (Quartermaster's Report) for quarter ending Sept. 30, 1886. These reports are due from Posts on Oct. 10, and the duty of forwarding | those who died that the Nation might live. There was a general disapproval by the members of our He should see to it that the Adjutant and Quarter-master have their respective reports ready to hand

Post of the action taken by ex-members of the Fifth Corps at San Francisco indorsing the action to him at the close of the last meeting night of the of Congress in reinstating Gen. Fitz-John Porter to quarter, and if upon comparison they are found to be correct, the Post Commander should indorse and so many of our comrades who suffered terribly forward them without delay, accompanied by the per capita tax of five cents per quarter on each mem-

WEST VIRGINIA .-"Visiting Comrade," French Creek: A strong and enthusiastic feeling has been awakened in the breasts of the hardy mountaineers of this region in favor of the G.A.R., the consequence being that Posts are being organized at every available place throughout this section, and the loyal West Virginians are becoming as ardent in the cause of the G.A.R. as they were for that of the Union in the trying times of 1861, when they sacrificed homes, friends and everything that men hold dear to show their fealty to the Government, and never faltered in their devotion even when their homes were invaded and everything they were possessed of was destroyed or carried away. It was my pleasure to assist at the organization of a Post at this place on Sept. 4. It started with 21 charter members, who were mustered in by the Mustering Officer, Wirt Phillips, a gallant member of the 10th W. Va., and one whom the writer has been with in what the boys used to call hot places. The comrade, although a novice, did his work splendidly, and in the installation of officers he was as thoroughly posted as any of our old leaders in the G.A.R. This Post has the prospect of recruiting every soldier in the neighborhood, and everything has a bright and auspicious outlook. The ladies are as zealous for us as in the days when their loyalty was tested as by fire-and with them working with and for us, how can the Posts here fail to succeed? Phillips, a brave soldier of the 3d W. Va., has been elected Commander, and in honor of the memory of one of West Virginia's soldiers it will be called the Claudius B. Lee Post. So many of the 10th W. Va. are living in this locality that the selection of one of the non-commissioned staff of that regiment, John P. Phillips, for Q. M. S. would seem a very appropriate thing. The good work is progressing. and the Department of West Virginia has evidently determined to place itself in the front if energy and vitality as well as determination will suffice to

The Council of Administration of this Department met at Madison on the 9th inst., when Gen. Lucius speech, inappropriate, and certainly uncalled Flag That We Love," Capt. Wm. Mitchell; place Aug. 30 and 31. in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at San Francisco recently. His resignation was accepted, and Senior Vice Commander Henry P. Fischer, of and Hon. Geo. Pepoon made short addresses Milwaukee, succeeded to the vacancy. Junior Vice Commander Briggs, of Wausau, became Senior ened the occasion with several old war songs. Vice Commander, and J. H. West, of Evansville, Thus ended the largest and most successful was elected Junior Vice Commander. Philip Cheek, jr., who was placed in nomination for Insurance Commissioner, tendered his resignation as Assistant Adjutant-General, but Commander Fischer declined to accept it.

ARMY OF THE TENNESSEE. Annual Meeting of the Society.

The Society of the Army of the Tennessee met at Rock Island on the 15th and held a member of Post No. 2, Hartford, Conn.; secures brief business session, at which committees ally. Robert Garcia, who claims to be a comrade were appointed to report on the following day. in good standing, using various names, numbers In the afternoon the Society went to Van Druff's Island, where the County Veterans' Sept. 9 by Thos. F. Maloney, Inspector: In accordance with General Orders, No. 7, Headquarters De. partment of Pennsylvania, dated April 17, 1886, the | man Rifles, and had the enthusiastic greeting Fall inspection of the Posts of this Department will of a multitude of 10,000 people. Gen. Sheridan be made during the mouths of September and Octo-ber, and all reports of same should be forwarded to the Department Inspector not later than Nov. 13, 1886. I take especial pleasure in congratulating the Tomlins: Adj't, Owen Connaughton: Surg., W. P.
Peirce: Chap., E. R. Johnson: Q. M., Barton W.
Hall: O. D., I. Latshaw: O. G., Michael Myers; S.

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commend the valor and fidelity of the sires to
the sons, in whose hands the destiny of the
spection on the very satisfactory results attained. spection on the very satisfactory results attained, and thank them for the very prompt and efficient manner in which they performed their duties. In duration, At night the annual reception of 36 of the 39 districts every Post was inspected, and | duration. At night the sunual reception of reports were received from 504 Posts of the 515 then | the Society took place in Harper's Theater. in the Department. This splendid showing will, I | The audience was one of the finest ever assemfeel, be sufficient incentive to renewed effort to | bled in Rock Island. The proceedings were have returns from every Post by Nov. 13. Inspect- full of interest. Gen. Sherman called the meeting to order and Rev. W. S. Marquis rent series, and my circular transmitted therewith, dated April 17, 1886, giving the "Form of Inspection," which must be strictly adhered to. Study and another in behalf of the State by Gov. many of them, going about the park with fife and dram singing oid camp songs and having a good time generally. The Reception Committee were:

Oglesby. Gen. Sherman responded, after which Gen. A. L. Chetlain, of Chicago, delivered to the proper discharge of their duties; encourage efficiency and discipline, urge the necessity of accuracy. ered the annual oration, the subject being "The in all the accounts of the Post. Make yourself Early History of the Republic." Col. Jacobson, on behalf of Chicago comrades, presented and illustrate it. Query No. 14 on "Form H" refers to amount paid by commades to the Post as dues in gilt letters an extract from an address by

Oct. 21—Regimental and general Reunion and in the Nicollet House dining-room, at which second annual Reunion at Media Delaware per quarter, and not per capita tax from Posts to | Gen. Grant to the Society in 1875. The flag Department Headquarters. Permit me to impress was accepted by Gen. Sherman, after which upon you the necessity of keeping your traveling calls were made and short addresses delivered by Gens, Logan, Belknap, Tuttle and Fletcher, of the Department Commander are hereby an- less judgment is exercised and economy practiced, and Gov. Pierce, of Dakota. On the following nounced; Aids-de-Camp-B. C. Toucey, Post 5, the expense attending the two inspections (Spring | morning the report of the Committee on Re-Grand Rapids; C. Griffith, 83, Greenville; N. J. and Fall) amounts to a very large sum. It was ports was made and adopted. The next meeting is to be held in Detroit on the second Wednesday in September, 1887. Officers were found who will cheerfully perform the duty. Inspectors should be thoroughly familiar with Sherman; V.-P's, Col. J. F. Howe, St. Louis; Capt. W. Leach, Cedar Rapids; Capt. C. E. Laustrum, Galesburg; Maj. Charles H. Smith, Cleveland; Maj. A. V. Bohn, Leadville, Col.: Surg. S. C. Plummer, Rock Island; Capt. J. C. Degrees, Austin, Tex.; Capt. C. C. Chadwick, Detroit; Lieut. G. W. Hill, Rosedale, Kan.; Col. Edward H. Wolf, Rushville, Ind.; Capt. Edward Spear, Minneapolis; Maj. George B. of the prominent Generals, Coloneis, Chaplains, Hunter and Col. Sessions responded to toasts, the day, and music for the evening's entertain-Hagin, Des Moines; Rec. Sec., Col. L. M. Dayton; Cor. Sec., Gen. A. Hickenlooper; Treas., Gen. M. F. Force. The matter of having a Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Kentucky are exheadquarters for the Society and permanent | pected to be present. One of the features of their reports for correction. Commanders of Posts | been placed in charge of Comrade John M. Cald- | place for holding the meetings was taken up, | the program will be a prize drill. First prize, and after a spirited discussion the President \$75; second, \$50; third, \$25. Good instrumenwas empowered to appoint a committee to re- tal and vocal music has been secured. Excurport on the matter at the next meeting, sion rates on all railroads. Thanks were tendered the people of Rock Island for generous hospitalities to the committee on the removal of the Rawlins monument and to Gen. Chetlain for his learned and and was responded to by Comrade James Fee, Mo. 359. — Unionville; 360. Corbett Post, Palmyra; 361. Kilbourn Post, Sherwood; 362, —, Baidwin; 363. — Otter Lake. Posts reinstated, Noz. 241, 244, 264. It is hoped that Post Commanders assistants should be made at once, and Post Commanders the hope that all would have a happy year and philosophical address. The Society then for- of Greencastle. Col. N. S. Yeoman made a come together again at the next annual meeting. In the afternoon the Society was taken on a special train to the Rock Island Arsenal, where a salute of 70 guns was fired in honor of Gov. Oglesby, and where the workshops were ganizations. gone through. In the evening there was a IOWA.banquet.

U. S. Maimed Soldiers' League. At a meeting of the U.S. Maimed Soldiers' League held at Grand Army Headquarters Monday evening, Sept. 13, the following resolutions were presented to Comrade J. H. R. Storey, Treasurer, and Senator Francis A. Os-

bourn: Resolved, That for the untiring and patriotic zeal he has ever manifested in the work of the League, it is eminently and justly due, and we do hereby tender our hearty and sincere thanks to Comrade Storey for his unselfish devotion to the interests of his crippled and suffering comrades in arms throughout the land, in the services performed by him in securing the passage through Congress of measures which will result in great benefit to them during the remainder of their lives. Resolved, That without his valuable aid, prompted by the just heart of an upright man, whose greatest pleasure is to make others happy, our bill would not have become a law.

Comrade Storey in a few well-directed remarks sincerely thanked the comrades for their handsome gift. The resolutions to Senator Osbourn, which were engrossed and framed, but were not pre-

sented on account of his unavoidable absence

from the meeting, were as follows: Resolved. That the earnest and sincere thanks of the League are eminently due and are hereby ten-dered to State Senator Francis A. Osbourn, of the Third District, Philadelphia, for his persistent and untiring efforts for the relief of his maimed and suffering comrades-in-arms for the past six years, and especially for his labors in securing to them the recent increase of their pensions through Con-

Resolved, That without the valuable aid rendered by him the measure for our relief would not REUNIONS.

of the Country.

ILLINOIS .-At the second annual Reunion of the Eastern Illinois Veteran Association, which was held at Hoopestown on the 7th, 8th and 9th inst., the following officers were elected: District Post H.; Capt. Charles T. Allenbaugh, Chillicothe, Sept. 10, 1886. Although essentially a country Commander, W. R. Jewell, editor of the Dan- O.; Col. John Sommers, Baltimore; J. H. regiment (it was raised in the rural Counties ville News; Senior District Vice-Commander, McCullough, Harrisburg, Pa., and Charles of Madison and Chenango), it carned a wide-W. C. Custer, of Homer; Junior Vice-Com- Hartzell, of Washington. A constitution and spread reputation for its steadiness and effimander, A. L. Whitehall, of Watseka; Chap., by-laws were adopted. Lieut. Wm. H. Hick-ciency in the service. Of the total of 1,113 Kelso, of Paxton. The Executive Committee is composed of the newly-elected District officers and the Post Commander. The event of year. The committee reported as follows: For 431 were killed and wounded in action. It the closing day was the presence of Gen. John | President, Lieut.-Col. J. E. Duryea; Vice- marched thousands of miles in Louisiana, Mary-A. Logan, who came down from Chicago on the President, Lieut.-Col. B. F. Taylor : Secretary. land and Virginia, made four sea voyages, parrival at the Encampment grounds he was greeted with a round of cheers, and there was a ceived with cheers and he was conducted to Creek. At Winchester it lost 188 out of 336 general rush to shake hands with him. Gen. the chair. He asked that he be excused and engaged, and at Cedar Creek 128 out of 250. It heartily received.

The Reunion of the 36th Ill. will be held at Seneca on the 23d inst. A Reunion of the 14th Ill. Cav. was held at La Salle during the meeting of the Big Bend Veteran Association. Joseph Nye, Byron: There will be a Reunion

of the 65th Ill. at Bushnell Sept. 28, 29 and 30. Wm. M. Buffington, Monmouth: The Reunion of the 83d Ill. was held at this place on the 9th inst., and was very largely attended. The 18th annual Reunion of the survivors of the 95th Ill. was held at Marengo on the 4th

inst, the anniversary of the muster into the William L. Simpson presided, and Mr. Clinton usual reports were read, and the following were service of that regiment in 1862 at Camp Fuller. S. Birch acted as Secretary in the absence of elected officers of the association for the coming Rockford. At a business meeting the following Maj. Robert G. King. Officers for the ensuing year: Pres., S. R. Reshee; V.-P's, Lieut. S. S. officers were elected for the ensuing year: Col. year were elected, as follows: President, Maj. Avery was re-elected President; Sec., B. S. Robert G. King; V.-P's, Capt. Robt. E. Duvall, C. Reed, Co. E; Sec's, Licut. W. C. Reddy, Co. Parker; Treas., Thomas Gilkerson.

tended by between 5,000 and 7,000 people, and Wm. H. Parker. Executive Committee-Serg't Treas., Maj. O. H. Curtis. probably something over 500 veterans. The E. T. Daneker, John T. Brown, Serg't J. Duttown presented a beautiful appearance, being | ton, Lieut. J. G. Janney, Capt. Wm. Gibson, lavishly decked with bunting, flags and mot- Capt. Wm. M. Mitchell, James Rimby, Jesse toes. Among the Posts present were John A. W. Williams, Williams Barlow, J. Caulk, Lieut. was held in Elmira on Friday, Sept. 17. Davis, Wm. R. Goddard, Porter Steits, and John J. Kuhn, Capt. W. II. Watkins and Lieut. John Mussen. The affair was presided over by J. F. Reinecker. The date of the Reunion union of the 179th N. Y. was held at Elmira Gen. Chas. Waite, President of the Association. | was changed from Sept. 17 to Oct. 24, the date | Sept. 9. The address of welcome was made by Rev. J. the Legion was mustered out. The change OHIO.-Howard Stough, and was responded to by Gen. was made in order that farmers might attend Atkins. Senator Cullom also delivered a very more conveniently. Letters of regret were refine address. In the evening the grounds ceived from Joseph Trainor, of Washington; were illuminated, and from 3,000 to 4,000 people assembled to listen to the speeches and Col. Wm. H. Purnell, Frederick, Md.; J. inst. followed, making a splendid short address, was transacted the members, about 50 in Third Division, Fourth Corps, and were totouching upon the legislation affecting soldiers number, sat down to an excellent supper. gether all through the war, hence are very during the past two sessions of Congress. Toasts were given and responded to, as fol- closely united. Capt. Robert Smith, of Plainfield, Iowa, was lows: "The Old Command," by Col. Wm. J. The 20th annual Reunion of the 6th Ohio harassed his audience with a bitter partisan Department," Lieut. John T. Graham; "The 90th Ohio held their annual Reunion at this and distasteful to even his warmest friends. Reunion was heartily enjoyed by all who par- at Troy, Oct. 21. Gen. Atkins, Mr. Chas. Green, Senator Cullom | ticipated. Reunion ever held by the association. The Executive Committee of the Soldiers

and Sailors' Home celebration at Quincy, have | will be held at Boston, Oct. 19. completed the program of the exercises. It MICHIGAN .will be as follows: First day, Tuesday, Oct. 19 ternoon, 2 o'clock, regatta on the Mississippi River, races by professional and amateur oarsmen; 3 o'clock, steamboat excursion and entertainment to invited guests by the Mayor and City Council of Quincy; evening, Reunion and electric illuminating at the Home grounds; city of Niles Oct. 21. Reduced rates on all rail- of music, singing and speeches. Mayor Gardworks. Second day, Wednesday, Oct. 20-Morning, 10 o'clock, parade of soldiery and review by Gov. Oglesby; afternoon, 2 o'clock, dedication exercises at the Home, under the direction of Gen. P. S. Post, Department Commander, G.A.R.; address by Gov. Oglesby, who will be followed by other distinguished speakers, among whom it is expected will be Gen. Wm. T. Sherman, Gen. John A. Logan, Gen. B. F. Butler, Gen. John C. Black, Gen. John A. McClernand, Gen. John M. Palmer, Gen. Martin Beem, Gen. W. B. Anderson, Gen. James S. Martin, Gen. Jesse J. Phillips, Senator Cullom, and others. Evening, 7:30 o'clock, grand illuminated street parade, with fancy floats and scenes, and tableaux illustrating the American wars; brilliant flambeau and Japanese clubs; display of pyrotechnics, illuminating of city and Washington Park by a novel arrangement of electric and gaslights; 8:30 o'clock, grand exhibition of fireworks from barges on the Mississippi River, the high bluffs affording places for many thousands of observers, parade of illuminated boats. Third day, Thursday, Campfire; music, songs and speeches. Break camp at 3 p. m. M. O. Frost, Topeka, Kan.: The fourth au-

nual Reunion of the 10th Mo. will be held at Bushnell, Ill., in connection with the Military Tract Reunion, Sept. 28, 29 and 30.

on the 2d and 3d inst. was an event long to be | Lane, Minneapolis; Mayor A. A. Ames, Maj. | and 188th Pa. will be held at Sunbury Wednesremembered. A splendid speech was made by Gen. Coburn, which was greatly enjoyed by the H. Sessions, Lieut, Jacob Hein, Capt. and Mrs.

John Landberg, Capt. P. McKiernan, Cot. M. day and Thursday, Sept. 29 and 30.

The first annual picnic held by the members

burg, Sept. 29 and 30 and Oct. 1, 1886. The Noggle, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. be fair. The committee of arrangements have Reunion will be for all ex-Union soldiers, and N. S. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Jewell and appointed sub-committees, and the work in ample accommodations will be made for all who Miss Jewell, Ed. R. Houghton. After the supattend. This is expected to be the largest Re- per Capt. Hotehkiss rend a historical sketch of petent chairmen. The Citizens' Cornet Band union ever held in Southern Indiana. Many | the battery. Mayor Ames, Capt. Tidd, Capt. | has been engaged to furnish the music during Captains and other soldiers will be present to and Mr. N. H. Spaulding recited a war select ment will be provided for by the committee. address the people. Thousands of people from | tion. The Reunion lasted until a late hour.

The Reunion of the 31st Ind. was held at Rockville on the 7th inst. The address of welcome was delivered by Capt, Frank Howard. splendid address to the boys. About 350 members of the regiment responded to the roll-call. and Benj. Baxter, of the south part of the D. C. Ashby, Petersburg: There will be a County, who were leading a 12-pound brass

grand Reunion of old soldiers of Southern | gun, were very dangerously injured by a pre-Indiana held on the Fair Grounds at this mature discharge of a three-pound charge of union at this place Oct. 5. place Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1. During the Re- powder, the rammer tearing away both arms of union the 58th and 80th Ind. will perfect or- each of the men besides seriously hurting them

Union Prisoners of War was held at Des afterwards. Bone is a laborer in reduced cir-Moines on the 5th inst., at which time the following officers were elected: Pres., M. T. Russell; V.-P., J. B. Vawter: Sec., D. C. Bishard. He served during the war in the 2d Iowa bat-Advisory Committee, J. E. Wilkins, W. B. Lucas and J. B. Vawter. Corresponding Committee, W. D. Lucas, J. B. Vawter and W. T. Wilkinson. G. N. Welsh, Boone: The Boone County Vet-

31 and Sept. 1 at this place. MARYLAND .-The survivors of the 6th Md. held their an-

nual Reunion at Northeast on the 11th inst. The third annual Reunion of the survivors of the 2d Md. was held at Wilson Post hall, Baltimore, on the 17th inst., the 24th anniversary of the battle of Antietam, at which the to old comrades-in-arms. Among those in attendance were Lieut.-Col. Jacob E. Duryea, of New York, who commanded the regiment from September, 1861, to October, 1862; Lieut. Col. festivities except on Friday, when one of the B. F. Taylor, of Bradshaw, Md.; Maj. O. P. To be Judge-Advocate General—Comrade Henry
E. Taintor, Hartford, Conn.
4. Correct names in General Orders, No. 1, to read: Junior Vice Commander in-Chief, Edgar Allian; Surgeon-General, Ambrose S. Everet; Mombers of Council, N. P. Chipman, Geo. A. Silsby, Geo. M. D. Com, J. Ames G. West, Geo. M. B. American Storey example of the meeting, Commander; Comrade Wm. Simmons, late of U. S. S. Brooklyn, is Quartermaster; Commander in Com, J. V. Horne (roving commission) is Adjutant. At our muster on the 15th tone of the Senare. Among the Commander of Winchester, Va. Members of Council, N. P. Chipman, Geo. A. Silsby, G. C. M. D. Com, J. Ames G. West, Geo. M. B. Ambrook G. West, Geo. G. Eddy S. P. Shaw, Frank G. Fr F. Shave, Frank G. Frary. Vermont Member, Ed. B. Trick. Barlington. Address of Peter Morton, Each mond.

Each mond

with the regiment under the name of Harry NEW YORK .-Sivel. Lieut.-Col. B. F. Taylor was called to the chair. Letters of regret were read from Brevet Maj.-Gen. S. B. Sturgis, Fort Meade, Dak.; Maj.-Gen. John F. Hartranft, ex-Governor of Pennsylvania; Maj.-Gen. John M. Schoffeld, Governor's Island; Lieut.-Col. S. C. Blunt, for Lieut.-Gen. Sheridan : Brig.-Gen. O. B. Wilcox, of Sackett's Harbor, Me.; Gen. S. G. Griffin, ex-Governor of New Hampshire, of

Fred, Fieldhaus, The

MASSACHUSETTS.-John W. Raymond, Lynn: The 16th annual place Sept. 28.

The 18th annual Reunion of the 38th Mass.

Norman G. Cooper, Sturgis: The Veteran Comerstown Oct. 20. The address of all com--Morning, arrival of the Grand Army Posts | Society of St. Joe County held its annual Re- rades is requested by me. and going into camp; reception of guests. Af- union at Three Rivers on the 16th inst. Department Commander Northwood, A. A. G. Lockhead, Hon. G. O. Burrows and other well- Oct. 7 and 8. known soldiers were in attendance.

J. Cowgell, Cassopolis: The next annual Reunion of the old 2d Mich. will be held at the

MINNESOTA .the comrades present. Col. M. H. Sessions also and Sept. 15, 1887, as the date of meeting. made an address of welcome. The battery PENNSYLVANIA .business meeting and elected Capt. T. W. Tidd | close. Of the 1,100 who went out less than 300 last meeting. He died at Louisville, Ky., Aug. kinds, C. L. Mason, E. D. Rogers, J. H. Amell, W. A. Sec., Chas. P. Keep; Treas., W. W. Sentt. The meeting of the 33d Ind. at Martinsville | Spaulding, George E. Townsend, James M. | The first joint Reunion of the 3d Pa. H. A.

MISSOURI .-The soldiers' Reunion at Edina, which commenced on the 9th and ended two days later, would have been one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever held in the country had not a distressing accident occurred on the closone old soldier his life and will most likely cost another. Eight thousand people were on the grounds to witness a sham battle, which and promises to make things lively. All old had just begun, when Geo. Bone, of this city, in other ways. The men were both taken from the field for dead but afterwards recovered con-The meeting of the Iowa Association of ex- Bone may recover, but Baxter died shortly cumstances, with a wife and one son 18 years old. Baxter was a poor man with a family. tery. The accident was caused by the injured parties failing to use sufficient water in swabbing the gun. No blame is attached to the management of the Reunion, as they did all they could to impress the necessity of great eran Association held its annual Reunion Aug. caution in handling the cannon. The physicians have amputated both of Bone's arms below the elbow.

NEBRASKA .-

war at Grand Island last week was one of the grandest affairs of the kind ever held in the State. It is estimated that there was an average undergoing his imprisonment. Arrangements attendance of from 30,000 to 40,000 each day, were made for the thorough organization of regiment rendered conspicuous service as a part and the capacity of the city for entertaining its branches in the various Counties and cities of visitors was taxed to the utmost. This however the State. The officers desire that every man veterans were present at the Reunion, many of was accomplished by dint of hard labor by who suffered in a Southern prison during the whom had not met since the war, and the those having the matter in charge and every war will send his name and address to George one was well pleased with the attention ac- W. Farr, Secretary, No. 231 Clinton St., Brookcorded them, under the circumstances. The lyn, or to the President, A. T. Decker, at the order of exercises was fully carried out and foot of Bethune street. nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of the veterans was severely injured in the face dur-Cram, of Columbia, Va.; Dr. Jos. E. Beatty, of ing the sham battle, by the premature dis-Middletown, Frederick Co., Md.; Col. Jos. M. | the shand of one of the nothing in Alaska except scenery, fish and Bigelow, of Baltimore; Capt. Geo. A. Zimmer- in the face and may cause the loss of sight in are suitable for grazing purposes. How this man, Anne Arundel County, Md.; Capt. Henry both eyes. Otherwise everything passed off is I know not, for I did not go near them. But Matthews, of New York; Capt. John M. Long, pleasantly, and Saturday the veterans and vis- I am very sure that in all Alaska which is ac-Adj't T. L. Matthews, of Baltimore; Lieut. itors departed for their homes carrying with cessible to the traveler there are not 5,000 acres Henry Pennington, Lieut. W. M. B. Ball, both them pleasant recollections of the Reunion of of tillable land. And I think that the climate

Sommers, Vice-President, both detained by of Union soldiers burled on Southern soil. The sickness. Prayer was offered by Capt. Wm. Virginia militia ritle team has been invited to Henry Matthews, of New York, who served | come and participate in the shooting matches.

The fifth annual Reunion of Sullivan County soldiers was he d at Monticello Sept. 2. All members of the 10th N. Y. Cav. are requested to send their addresses to C. N. Wiles. Cortland, N. Y., as it is intended to hold a Reunion of the regiment in the near future. The annual Reunion of the 151st N. Y. will

take place at Medina Oct. 29.

W. C. Reddy, New York city: The surviving Keen, N. H.; Dr. Silas Scarborough, Scar- members of the 114th N. Y. held their 14th borough, Md.; Capt. L. Jackman, Concord, N. consecutive annual Reunion at Norwich, N. Y., man, Capt. John Long, Lient. W. M. B. Ball men and officers borne on its rolls during its and Serg't Frank Russell were appointed a period of service, 174 died of disease, 250 were committee to nominate officers for the ensuing discharged for disability and promotion, and Lieut. James Glen, and Treas., D. Z. Buckley. | ticipated in seven great battles, including the The nomination of Lieut, Col. Duryea was re- siege of Port Hudson, Winchester and Cedar Col. John Sommers be made President, but the belonged to the sturdy fighting little Ninesuggestion was greeted with cries of "No! no!" teenth Corps. For the first time the loved and he accepted in a speech reciting in a feel- form of its Senior Colonel and President of the ing manner the principal points in the history Regimental Association, Gen. Samuel R. of the regiment, particularly the charge at Reshee, was missing at its Reunion. He was ab-Burnside's bridge at Antietam. Maj. O. C. sent in New York undergoing treatment for Bobyshell followed in a felicitous speech. The his wounds. Both its Vice-Presidents, Capts. members marched to the Malthy House, where H.S. Wheeler and N. A. Dederer, had died durthey spent several hours around the festive ing the past year. The business meeting was board, indulging in the good things provided held at the Court-house in Norwich, 124 memby Col. George P. Mott and in reminiscences of bers being present. The meeting was called to order by Dr. H. H. Beecher, late Surgeon, and Purnell Legion held its third annual Re- Capt. D. D. Bulloch, the only ex-Captain presunion at the Maltby House, Baltimore. Col. ent, was elected temporary chairman. The Stafford, Co. A; Serg't, J. R. Beall, Co. D; E. Capt. Wm. M. Mitchell and Serg't E. T. Dan- K; Serg't, Edw. Sawtelle, Co. B; Capt. D. D. The Reunion at Lena on the 10th was at- eker; Sec., Lieut. J. F. Reinecker, and Treas., Bulloch, Co. H; Cor. Sec., Dr. H. H. Beecher;

The annual Reunion of the 153d N. Y. was held in Albany on the 17th inst. The 20th annual Reunion of the 19th N. Y.

The Reunion of the 18th Ohio was held at McArthur on the 1st inst.

music. Dr. Bucknam, of Warren, was intro- Mahrenhloz, New York city; David Herring, A joint Reunion of the 15th and 49th Ohio duced, and delivered a soldierly speech, full of Charlottesville, Va.; L. K. Brown, Washington, was held at Carey, Sept. 2. Both of these regipatriotism, and pleasing to all. Hon. R. R. Hitt and James Res. Chicago. After the business ments were in the First Brigade (Willich's),

loudly called for, and after considerable hesi- Leonard: "Our Absent Comrades," Capt. Wm. will be held Oct. 5, at Akron. Headquarters tation responded by appearing on the platform, H. Gibson; "The Cavalry of the Command," will be established at Buckley Post, No. 152. and for more than a half hour harangued and Capt. Robert E. Duvall; "The Quartermaster's E. E. Rickett, Washington Court-house: The

The Reunion of the 11th Ohio will be held

The annual Rennion of the 68th Ohio was held at Hoigate Sept. 2, and was in every respect a success, nearly 200 of the old boys being Reunion of the 23d Mass, will be held at this present. Mrs. Rebecca McCann, who is a daughter of Ged. Steedman, was present and recited a poem, "The Grand Army," in fine

style. M. B. Stewart, Kimbolton: The annual Reunion of the 56th Ohio will be held at New

John R. Smith, Toledo: The eighth annual Reunion of the 11th Ohio will occur at Weston The annual Reunion of the 8th Ohio was held at Cleveland on the 17th inst. The exerner delivered the address of welcome, which

was responded to by Gen. Samuel S. Carroll, The third annual Reunion of the 2d Minn. | the old commander of the regiment. Speeches battery was held at Minneapolis Sept. 9. The were also made by Gens. Buckland and Robinveterans assembled at the Nicollet parlors at 10 | son, and Cols. Sawyer, Hubbard and Carpenter. o'clock a. m., with President W. A. Spaulding Gen. Carroll was re-elected President and W. in the chair. Mayor Ames came in by invita- M. Jordon Secretary and Treasurer. Toledo tion and extended the freedom of the city to | was decided upon as the next meeting place, then adjourned to 2 o'clock and visited the The 96th Pa, entered the service at the outpanorama. At 7:30 p. m. the battery held its break of the war and remained in it until its

President, Capt. James Hunter Vice-President, remain. Of these 200 met at Pottsdam on the Dr. W. A. Spaulding Secretary and Treasurer, 14th and had a parado, Reunion and picuic. Capt. W. A. Hotchkiss Historian, and Daniel | The town were a holiday appearance, the work-Frye Assistant Historian. The next Rennion shops and schools were closed and court adwas fixed for fair week, 1887, at Minneapolis, journed. The whole town was decorated in the meeting to be called by the President. the gayest manner. The parade was composed After the business meeting remarks were made of the local military Post guard, Grand Army by Comrades Hotchkiss, Hynes, Hunter and Post, 48th and 96th regiments, Fire Depart-Hosli on their experience in foraging. The ment and civic societies. At the pienic there death of Perry Fisher was reported since the were speeches and poems and games of various

in the Nicollet House dining-room, at which second annual Reunion at Media, Delaware the following were present: E. E. Pratt, Co. The survivors of the regiment who at-Bethel; S. W. Lent, Anoka; M. W. Adley, | tended the Reunion formed in line at the depot Osakis; Philip Hynes, Shingle Creek; Fred- and marched to the Court-house, headed by the erick Hohlstadt, Rockford, Iowa; Martin fife and drum corps of Bradbury Post, No. 149. Hosli, Champlin; H. S. Hill, Little Falls; L. The following officers were elected: Pres., Col. W. Ayers, Belle Prairie; Henry Fall, Afton; Jos. W. Hawley; V.-P., Capt. Chas. W. Roberts;

Hotchkiss, Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Tidd, Capt. of the G.A.K., of Birdsboro, Berks Co., on Sept. A soldiers' Reunion will be held at Peters- and Mrs. James Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. 25, will be very largely attended if the weather The net proceeds of the picnic will be to relieve the wants of needy ex-soldiers and their families who reside in the borough and vicinity. Grand Army Posts and Sons of Veterans of adjoining Counties will attend in very large numbers. Ass't Adj't Gen. Thomas J. Stewart will deliver an address, and Commander Wm. ing day during the sham buttle, which has cost T. Gerrell, Post 16, Reading, will give an account of his trip to San Francisco. McLean Post, No. 16, of Reading, will attend in a body,

> soldiers and citizens are cordially invited to attend. Geo. V. Marshall, Pittsburg: The survivors of Hampton's (Pa.) battery will hold their Re-

The veterans of Huntingdon County met at Huntingdon on the 21st, and will continue in session until to-morrow. Gen. J. P. S. Gobin. Department Commander, and Staff, with other sciousness. The physicians in attendance think Department officers, were in attendance. Grand Army Posts from Juniata Valley were in at-

> The S1st Pa. Regimental Association will hold a meeting at Grand Army Headquarters. Philadelphia, Sept. 30. Ayer's Ague Cure is warranted to cure all

cases of malaria. Sold by druggists. Price, \$1. New York Ex-Union Prisoners of War-

About 30 members of the New York Association of ex-Union Prisoners of War, some of them broken in health and poor, held a meeting on the 15th to see what hope there was for the bill introduced in Congress to pay each The Reunion of the veterans of the late civil prisoner \$2 a day for each day's imprisonment over a certain time and a regular monthly pension according to the disability incurred while

Mr. Hoadly on Alaska. Ex-Gov. Headly, of Ohio, who has recently reis so far North that, except potatoes, cabbage, peas and berries, little, if any, agricultural re-

sults can be reached." CATARRH CURED. A clergyman, after years of suffering from that leath-some disease, Catarth, and vainly trying every known